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### HEARST'S GREAT VICTORY.

Hearst's three newspapers—The American, the Evening Journal, and the New York Journal—were the only New York newspapers to support the Tammany ticket. Hearst is naturally very proud of his victory, and claims that his newspapers had some influence in changing the views of the 90,000 voters who turned from Low to McClellan. The Mail and Express takes a rather dismal view of the situation, saying, in a recent issue:

The truest thing and the saddest thing to be said about the election is that the ticket which won was representative of the people of New York city and the ticket which lost was not. \* \* \* New York has found its level. Why not admit it?

The Times, taking the same view, said:

The electorate of the city deliberately, with careful preparation, forethought and full knowledge of what its decision involves, has extended an invitation to every crook and criminal, to all divekeepers, gamblers and backguards the world over to converge upon New York and ply their vocations. The red light and the 'wide open' sign are displayed in the sight of mankind. \* \* \* The defeat of Mayor Low and his associates upon the fusion ticket goes far to prove that with the present composition of its electorate New York city is not altogether fit for self government. Popular suffrage itself is impeached by this appalling choice deliberately made by something like 600,000 voters. Dr. Rainford was wrong. The majority of the voters of New York are not both honest and intelligent.

The following from the Jasper News, the leading paper of Hamilton county, is respectfully referred to the Gainesville Star, which affected such surprise at The News' recent editorial about Alachua county officials:

The (Jasper) News regards it as a great misfortune that the mistaken lynchers did not invade Alachua county and secure the officials and miscreants who perpetrated the foul and horrible deed, instead of the poor victim they did, and dealt out to them the mercy and justice they dispensed to this harmless and unfortunate youth.

Miss Genevieve Priest, who stood first in the civil service examination, has been appointed "water register," whatever that term may mean, of the town of Marlboro, Mass. There were fifteen candidates in the examination, Miss Priest standing at the head of the list.

The Marine Hospital Service has extended the quarantine regulations from Mexican ports. All vessels from Mexican ports landing at southern stations will be detained five days in quarantine.

If all the candidates who have so far announced themselves continue in the race until the primary, the man who gets a majority of all the votes cast will certainly be a dandy.

A. K. Taylor, the cartoonist who introduced the Jacksonville Metropolis to Florida readers, is now figuring on the Times-Union.

The Bellevue News-Letter says: "The cartoonist of the Pensacola News is O. K." Yes, and the cartoonist of the Times-Union is A. K.

Now that the Jacksonville carnival is over, the campaign may be resumed.

It is strange how much Jennings' "blunders" aggravate his enemies.

### THE PARAMOUNT ISSUE.

In his announcement for Congress, Watson of Orange, should have stated whether or not he is married, and, if not, will he agree to get married as soon as elected? This appears to be the most important plank in the congressional platform just now.

### PROHIBITION IN THE SOUTH.

The remarkable growth of prohibition in the South is attracting the attention of the world. The following is taken from a recent issue of the Vermont Watchman.

One of the most peculiar and perhaps almost remarkable signs of the times is the ebb and flow of the tide of prohibition in various parts of the United States. In times not far distant, whatever there was of overpowering strength in the movement against liquor selling was confined to the northern states and the south paid little heed to the question. Now, however, the conditions are exactly reversed. One by one the citadels of prohibition in the northern states have given way until few now remain and those are little by little crumbling under the assaults of license and local option. New England, once the hope of the prohibitionists, has, with the single exception of Maine, gone over to the camp of the majority, and the system in Maine though strongly entrenched under a constitutional provision, is said to show unmistakable signs of a weakness that presages its fall. On the other hand Dixie is moving in an exactly opposite direction. Formerly the South paid little attention to the subject, but of late a wave of prohibition sentiment has swept over it, and that wave seems to be continually on the increase. Concerning the spread of prohibition in the south the New York Sun comments as follows:

That steady extension of the prohibitory systems which has been going on in the south has reached North Carolina. The Raleigh Legislature has adopted a measure making optional in rural towns either total prohibition, or the alternative of a dispensary on the South Carolina plan as a substitute for the barroom. There are ninety-seven counties in North Carolina, and sixty of these had already adopted prohibition before the passage of this measure. Both Texas and Mississippi are now practically prohibition states. A pioneer in the movement was Georgia after the adoption of the dispensary system in South Carolina, and Florida and Arkansas were soon afterward added through the establishment of absolute prohibition in fifty counties of Alabama, thirty of Florida, and fifty of Arkansas. The most remarkable thing in the south is that it has been successful without the intervention or even the co-operation of any formally organized prohibition party there. The forces enlisted in the cause of prohibition in the south are moral, social and religious. In Tennessee two-thirds of the counties have adopted prohibition, and that state is the next on the program of the temperance men for "ransom from rum," as the agitation is called in the south. A curious feature of the success of the southern movement for prohibition is that in every case it has followed the elimination of the negro vote. The practical abolition of negro suffrage has been in most cases the first step. The adoption of prohibition has been the second.

### POLITICAL SNAP-SHOTS.

Arcadia Champion: Since Adam ate the forbidden fruit there has lived only one perfect man. When the erring one whom the law condemned to death was brought before him he said, "Let he that is without sin cast the first stone," and when the accusers dared not claim themselves sinless and slunk away, he bade the guilty one go and sin no more, saying: "Neither do I condemn thee." To sin is human, to forgive Christ-like, and to gloat over the downfall of another sinner.

### Dougherty the Strongest Candidate.

New Smyrna Breeze: The opponents of Barrs in Jacksonville think that Hon. Chas. Dougherty is the strongest candidate and are talking of centering on him to defeat Barrs. Dougherty is the strongest candidate, Barrs not excepted, and he is gaining strength every day. So if the anti-Barrs faction will center on Dougherty it will add that much more to his strength.

Macelenny Standard: The High Springs Hornet seems to be the only paper in Alachua county that is inclined to give the public the inside facts in that Brake murder case at the convict camps in that county. Enough has leaked out concerning this horrible affair to show that the

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## BALLOT

FOR THE

Most Popular Young Lady

ATTENDING THE

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ALL BALLOTS containing the above number (3333) must be sent in to be canvassed by Thursday noon, December 3, otherwise the vote will not be counted. A new number will be substituted every second issue.

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Miss

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THE BALLOTS will be canvassed every Thursday noon, and the result of the contest will be announced in THE NEWS every Friday morning. The final canvass will be made by three prominent DeLandites who are not directly interested in the contest. The contest will close at noon on

Thursday, December 24th,

and the final result will be announced in THE NEWS of December 25th. The contest is open to any young lady attending the DeLand Public or High School.

Besides these ballots published in THE NEWS a certificate good for 20 votes will be given with every new yearly cash-in-advance subscription received before noon on December 24. The price of THE NEWS is \$1.00 per year.

The young lady receiving the greatest number of votes will be given a handsome little Watch, now on exhibition in W. A. Allen & Co.'s window on the Boulevard.

Brake boy was brutally beaten while sick and unable to work, and that he died from the effect of the punishment. If the state courts will not take this matter up and investigate the affair, some one should see that the case is properly presented to the Federal courts.

### Harris is Slightly Mixed.

Ocala Banner: Indications in the first district point to the election of Hon. James Alexander, known to the boys as "Jim Alex." If he doesn't get elected on the first round it is very generally believed that he will be in the second race.

C. S. VanHouten of Orlando made a shipment Saturday of 3,000 young pineapple plants. This is rather an unusual shipment for this season of the year. Mr. VanHouten has sent out over 20,000 plants during the past year.

### CUT OFF BOTH LEGS.

An unknown white man fell from the cars between Pensacola and Flomaton on Thursday last and had both legs cut off. He was taken to the hospital in Pensacola for treatment.

### How They Bolled in Tampa.

The following from Wednesday's Tampa Tribune is just a short account of an election incident at Fort Brooke, across the river from Tampa: The expected happened when Jasper Williams, who had taken Vestel's place as challenger, challenged the vote of one of Stephens' adherents and a warm argument followed.

Stephens (one of the candidates for mayor) ordered Williams not to come inside the building, and Williams invited Stevens to come outside with much warmth. Both emerged together and mixed.

Jack landed with a right on Jasper's nose and brought the claret. Jasper came back with a heavy swing on the eye. Blows then followed thick and fast. They mixed but broke away, and then Jasper landed the knockout blow on Jack's solar plexus, which sent Jack to the ground. Time was called and the seconds of the respective combatants attended to their injuries. Stevens was badly bruised, getting decidedly the worst of the encounter. While the fight was in progress parties on both sides drew pistols and ordered the crowd to keep back and give both men a fair show. One of the politicians was seen with two pistols, one in each hand. Trouble of a more serious nature seemed imminent.

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## FURNITURE AND HARDWARE

We are just getting comfortable settled in our new Furniture Store, three doors north of our Hardware and Bicycle Emporium on the Boulevard. Our Mr. W. M. Yeargin, who has had twelve years' experience in the furniture line and as a Funeral Director, is in full charge. We have all new stock, which we have bought at right prices, and we propose to give our customers the benefit of these low prices.

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